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BIG STRIKE ENDS

CONFERENCES IN WASHINGTON
RESULT IN ACTION BY
ROOSEVELT.

NAMES ARBITRATION BODY

SIX COMMISSIONERS INSTEAD
OF FIVE HAVE BEEN AP-
POINTED.

CLARK REPRESENTS LABOR

GRAND CHIEF OF RAILWAY CON-
DUCTORS IS THE "EMINENT
SOCIOLOGIST."

Washington, Oct. 16.—The great anthracite coal strike is settled at last. A commission of six persons, with a seventh, Mr. Carroll D. Wright, as recorder, will adjust differences between the operators and miners. President Mitchell of the miners' union will take the necessary measures to call the strike off. The president will urge immediate resumption of mining and operations are expected to begin next week.

Announcement that the great strike was off was made by Secretary Root with exuberant good humor at the White House shortly after 1 o'clock.

Organized labor has a representative on the commission in the person of E. E. Clark, grand chief of the Order of Railway Conductors, named as a sociologist. The president added Bishop Spaulding of Illinois to the list of the five members suggested by the operators. As named, the commission is perfectly satisfactory to both miners and operators. Assent of the miners was given through President Mitchell and F. P. Sargent, commissioner of immigration, and of the operators through Messrs. Robert Bacon and George W. Perkins of the banking firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. The final outcome followed a series of conferences, beginning with two during the day with Mr. Mitchell and two during the night with Messrs. Bacon and Perkins. Events moved quickly at the last, the president being determined on a speedy settlement. The commission will assemble in a few days and choose a chairman, probably General Wilson. It will then arrange for sessions and testimony.

Official Statement.

Following is the official statement given out by Secretary Cortelyou:

After a conference with Mr. Mitchell and some further conferences with representatives of the coal operators, the president has appointed the members of the commission to inquire into, consider, and pass upon all questions at issue between the operators and miners in the anthracite fields: Brigadier General John M. Wilson, retired (late chief of engineers, U. S. A.), Washington, D. C., as an officer of the engineer corps of either the military or naval service of the United States.

Mr. E. W. Parker, Washington, D. C., as an expert mining engineer.

Mr. Parker is chief statistician of the coal division of the United States geological survey and the editor of the Engineering and Mining Journal of New York.

Hon. George Gray, Wilmington, Del., as a judge of the United States court.

Mr. E. E. Clark, Cedar Rapids, Ia., grand chief of the Order of Railway Conductors, as a sociologist, the president assuming that for the purpose of such a commission the term sociologist means a man who has thought and studied deeply on social questions and has practically applied his knowledge.

BEFORE THE BOARDS.

Mitchell Says Executive Bodies Must Pass Upon Settlement.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 16.—President Mitchell arrived here from Washington at 1:37 a. m. He was met at the railroad station by National Secretary Wilson. The press bulletins of the outcome of the Washington conference that the strike was settled were read to him while he was surrounded by a small army of newspaper men. He was immediately congratulated, and in reply for a statement said:

"Your congratulations should be withheld until we see who the six representatives on the commission are. I understood before I left Washington that there would be a sixth man and that he would represent labor. The whole matter will be placed before the joint meeting of the three executive boards of the anthracite region at their meeting at 10 o'clock in the morning. I will wait up to see the full

statement issued by Mr. Cortelyou."

In reply to the question whether he would comply with the president's request that coal mining be resumed immediately, he said he would make a more definite answer when he knew more about the matter. The news that a common ground of agreement has been reached is sure to be received with great rejoicing throughout the entire region.

After the interview with the reporters Mr. Mitchell went to his office on the second floor, where he was closeted with Mr. Wilson. While there the correspondent of the Associated Press again went to him for further enlightenment on the situation regarding immediate resumption and he made the positive statement that a delegate convention must first pass upon the question of calling off the strike. From the calling of the convention to its adjournment is only a matter of three or four days. There is hardly any doubt that a convention will stand by any agreement he has made with President Roosevelt.

PROCLAIMS HIMSELF DICTATOR.

General Fernandez Captures President of Colombia.

Fankfort-on-the-Main, Germany, Oct. 16.—The Frankfurter Zeitung publishes a dispatch saying that General Fernandez has captured President Marroquin of Colombia, and has proclaimed himself dictator.

President Marroquin procured the office of president of Colombia by arbitrarily deposing former President Sanclemente July 31, 1900. Marroquin was vice president of the country. In October of last year a conspiracy to overthrow Marroquin was discovered. The minister of war and several prominent Conservatives were implicated in the conspiracy. It was also supposed to reinstate former President Sanclemente in office. The plot failed and the conspirators were locked up.

It was reported from Columbia in January of this year that Marroquin had been imprisoned by his enemies, but this report was denied by General Alban.

Gen. Fernandez was the Colombian minister of war. He was appointed to office in February, 1902.

MOLENEUX TRIAL.

Six Jurymen Have Already Been Secured on the Case.

New York, Oct. 16.—The second trial of Roland B. Molineux for the murder of Mrs. Katherine J. Adams was begun during the day in the criminal branch of the supreme court before Justice John S. Lambert. The proceedings were marked by the unusual rapidity with which jurors were obtained, six talesmen having been accepted and sworn before the court adjourned. Immediately after the prisoner had been brought into court General Molineux entered and seated himself by the side of his son. The prisoner was represented by former Governor Black, former District Attorney W. M. X. Olcott, Bartow S. Weeks and George Gordon Battle.

After Mr. Weeks had filed a protest against the special panel of jurors, on the ground of unconstitutionality of the law providing for it, and had entered an exception to Justice Lambert's adverse ruling, the examination of talesmen proceeded rapidly.

BREAKS THE RECORD.

Onward Silver Reels Off Two Miles in Fast Time.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 16. — Onward Silver, the great chestnut son of Onward and Sylvan Maid, went two miles over the Kentucky Breeders' association track in 4:29½, breaking the American two-mile record of 4:32, made by Greenland in 1893. Hudson was in the Sulky and Onward Silver had a running mate. When the first mile was reeled off in 2:14 flat a hum of exclamations swept over the great crowd in attendance. When he began the last quarter, with only three minutes and fifty seconds consumed, excitement became intense. He had scarcely passed under the wire before the record time was posted and round after round of cheers followed. J. J. Pruin of Bardstown, Ky., owns the horse.

DARING PROJECT.

Santos-Dumont Would Cross the Ocean in an Airship.

London, Oct. 16.—Ex-Mayor Phelan of San Francisco, who arrived at London in the night from the continent, said to a representative of the Associated Press that M. Santos-Dumont, with whom Mr. Phelan dined Tuesday evening, is about to make an offer to travel from Paris to San Francisco by airship.

"Santos-Dumont," said Mr. Phelan, "asks that a prize of \$200,000 be put up. This sum, however, will be paid over only in case the trip shall be successful. The aeronaut undertakes to pay all his own expenses, and he is already at work building a new airship for this purpose. He seems entirely confident of achieving his object."

McChesney the Winner.

Chicago, Oct. 16.—McChesney, probably the greatest three-year-old that ever performed in the West, demonstrated his superiority over Green B. Morris' Sombrero in a match race at Worth. McChesney won with ease, being pulled up almost to a walk, and finished with more than a length to spare. The race was at a mile and an eighth for a purse of \$1,000.

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VENEZUELAN REVOLUTIONARY

SOLDIERS SURROUND PRES-
IDENT'S TROOPS.

SOME DESPERATE FIGHTING

Chief Executive Leads Two Charges

and Shows Great Courage and Cool-

ness in Action—Government Forces

Lose Over Two Hundred Men, While

the Rebel Loss Is More Than Three

Hundred—General Guevara Killed.

Willemstad, Oct. 16. — News has been received here from Caracas that the battle near La Victoria between forces of President Castro, numbering 4,100 men with fifteen guns, and the Venezuelan revolutionists, which began Monday morning, had so far been without definite result. General Matos, leader of the revolution, and General Mendosa were not present. The only rebel generals engaged were Guevara, Torres, Crespo and Antonio Fernandez, who had with them about 3,100 men, representing the advance guard of the revolutionists. President Castro twice led a charge in person and showed great courage and coolness. His lieutenant, General Alcantara, who was at one time at the West Point military academy, was mortally wounded. The government forces had 247 men killed, while the revolutionists lost 319 men. Among the latter was General Guevara.

The arrival at the scene of the battle at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon of Vice President Gomez with 200 men and a large amount of ammunition saved the situation for the government. At that time the odds were greatly against President Castro, but the arrival of reinforcements improved his position. Monday night the revolutionists still retained their position.

The fight started again Tuesday, and at 10 o'clock in the morning Castro retired to La Victoria. At 1 o'clock the fighting ceased on both sides.

News of the engagement having reached General Matos and Mendosa they hastened to the scene and arrived at a point near La Victoria with the rest of the revolutionary army, which now numbers about 8,000 men. The reinforcements under Matos and Mendosa intend to take part in the renewal of hostilities.

President Castro appears to be surrounded by his enemies. The town of El Consejo, which lies back of La Victoria, is occupied by the revolutionists.

Valencia is believed to be doomed.

The town was attacked by General Riera on Monday and Tuesday. The government cannot receive reinforcements from Caracas, as the German railroad from there to Valencia is held by the rebels.

Those who were wounded in the fighting are still without medical assistance or care. They lie on the battlefield as they fell, and the scene there is one of great horror.

WARNS THE LEADERS.

Colombian Paper Points Out Folly of Further Fighting.

Panama, Oct. 16. — El Tempo, a newspaper published in Bogota by certain well known members of the Liberal or revolutionary party, said in a recent editorial article that the prolongation of the fighting on the isthmus of Panama was greatly in favor of the interests of Nicaragua in the matter of an isthmian canal, because it prevents Colombia from approving the canal bill within a reasonable length of time. The paper expressed the hope that the political obstinacy and the heat of the field of battle would not blind General Herrera to the interests of the country. It reminded the Liberals that political interests in certain republics of South America are very transitory and that the sacrifice to them of the permanent interests of Colombia not only shows a lack of patriotism, but gives Senator Morgan the right to express himself concerning Colombia as he has done. The article ends with a warning to the revolutionists that to continue fighting on the isthmus is to serve openly the interests of Nicaragua with immense detriment to those of Colombia.

This article, proceeding from the source it does, has produced a deep impression.

WANTS RAILROADS.

Prussia Determined to Acquire Private Lines.

Berlin, Oct. 16.—Prussia is determined to acquire six of the principal railroads remaining in private hands. The first is the East Prussian Southern, the second the Marienburg-Mlawka, the third the Altdam-Kolberg, the fourth the Stargard-Kuesstrin, the fifth the Kiel-Flensburg and the sixth the Breslau-Warsaw, the whole amounting to 558 miles, with \$19,250,000 capital, for which the government has offered a somewhat larger sum.

It seems that the propositions will be accepted in every instance. Only two important private lines are not included in the government scheme, the Dortmund-Grenau and the Luebeck-Buensen roads. The government's plan, which came as a complete surprise to the country, is one of the first energetic steps of the new railroad minister, Herr Budda, who is credited with the ambition to inaugurate a new era in Prussian railroads.

Consul Garrett Is Safe.

Laredo, Tex., Oct. 16.—Vice Consul Kimball of Nuevo Laredo has received a telegram from Ambassador Powell Clayton at Mexico City reporting Consul Garrett at San Dario, a distant point in the Sierras. It is understood he is in no danger. This is the first authentic news of Consul Garrett for over a month and has relieved anxiety as to his whereabouts.

THOUSANDS PERISH.

Tidal Waves Cause Great Loss of Life in Japan.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 16. — Several thousand lives were lost in the typhoon and tidal waves which recently swept Northern Japan, according to advices received by the steamer Glenogle.

The Glenogle left Yokohama on Oct. 1. Previous advices from Japan have placed the loss of life in the storm among the hundreds. The breakwater off Yokohama was swept away, liners were driven ashore, the Japanese battleship Shikishimi stranded at Yosukusa, temples, public buildings, houses, etc., were destroyed and their occupants drowned. It was along the Japanese coast from Codzu to Odawara bay that the greatest loss of life occurred. Huge tidal waves swept away villages, over 600 lives being lost in the village of Koyawata alone. A Kohachimara it is estimated that a similar number lost their lives. From other points the tale of deaths is as heavy, for the typhoon seems to have spread disaster all over the northern part of Japan, and the seismic waves which swept in and deluged the coast, particularly Odawara, caused a greater loss of life than any storm since the disaster of the tidal waves of 1893.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Rear Admiral Thomas O. Selfridge, Sr., U. S. N., retired, is dead at the McLean asylum in Waverly, Mass.

President Roosevelt dined with Secretary Hay Wednesday night, this being the president's first social appearance since his injury.

John A. Dillon, journalist and leading editorial writer on the New York Evening World, is dead at Chatwood, the summer home of Mr. Joseph Pulitzer.

The formal sale and transfer of Beauvoir, the home of Jefferson Davis, by Mrs. Davis to the Sons of Confederate Veterans has been consummated. Mrs. Davis received \$10,000.

The Worth Jockey club of Chicago has offered a special purse of \$5,000 for a match race between McChesney and Hermis in order to settle the question whether the three-year-old championship shall be claimed by the West or the East.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Oct. 15.—Wheat—Dec., 69½c; May, 70½c. On Track—No. 1 hard, 70½c; No. 1 Northern, 70½c; No. 2 Northern, 68½c.

Sioux City Live Stock.

Sioux City, Ia., Oct. 15.—Cattle—Beef, \$6.00@6.75; cows, bulls and mixed, \$2.00@4.00; stockers and feeders, \$2.75@6.75; yearlings and calves, \$2.50@4.00. Hogs—\$6.85@7.05.

Duluth Grain.

Duluth, Oct. 15.—Wheat—Cash No. 1 hard, 72½c; No. 1 Northern, 71c; No. 2 Northern, 69c; No. 3 spring, 67c. To Arrive—No. 1 hard, 72½c; No. 1 Northern, 71c; Dec., 68½c; May, 71½c; Nov., 72½c. Flax—Cash, \$1.20½.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, Oct. 15.—Cattle—Choice butcher steers, \$6.00@7.50; choice butcher cows and heifers, \$3.50@5.50; good to choice veals, \$2.00@5.25. Hogs—\$6.60@7.00. Sheep—Good to choice, \$3.00@3.35; lambs, \$3.50@4.25.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$7.40@8.50; poor to medium, \$3.75@7.00; stockers and feeders, \$3.25@4.90; cows and heifers, \$2.25@5.50; Texas steers, \$3.00@5.00. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$6.75@7.35; good to choice heavy, \$6.90@7.50; rough heavy, \$4.45@5.80; light, \$6.35@7.15; bulk of sales, \$5.80@7.00. Sheep—Good to choice, \$3.40@4.00; lambs, \$3.50@5.50.

Chicago Grain and Provision.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—Wheat—Dec., 71½c; Chicago, May, 73c. Corn—Oct., 59½c; Nov., 56c; Dec., 49½c; May, 43½c; 42½c. Oats—Oct., 30¾c; Dec., 31c; May, 32¾c. Pork—Oct., \$17.00; Jan., \$15.80; May, \$14.90. Lard—Cash Northwestern, \$1.25; Southwestern, \$1.22; Oct., \$1.23@1.23½; Dec., \$1.20@1.22. Butter—Creameries, 16½c; 23½c; dairies, 15@20½c. Eggs—21c. Poultry—Turkeys, 12@13c; chickens, 10½@12c.

Military Force to Conform to Size Authorized by Law.

Washington, Oct. 16. — Orders will be issued by the war department during the day ordering that the regular army be reduced to the minimum size authorized by law, 59,640 men. With the practical cessation of outbreaks in the Philippines, it is believed that this can be done safely. The present size of the army is about 67,000 men. The cavalry and artillery regiments will be reduced to the minimum basis, except around Fort Leavenworth, where the commands will be kept of full size for educational reasons.

THE DAILY DISPATCH.

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E. C. GRIFFITH, City Editor.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1902.

Weather.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

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For Lieutenant-Governor—
RAY W. JONES

For Secretary of State—
PETER E. HANSON

For Auditor—
SAMUEL G. IVERSON

For Attorney-General—
WALLACE B. DOUGLAS

For Treasurer—
JULIUS BLOCK

For Clerk of the Supreme Court—
C. A. PIDGEON

For Railroad and Warehouse Com'r—
CHARLES F. STAPLES

For Member of Congress, 6th Dist.—
C. B. BUCKMAN.

For Senator, 48th District.
A. F. FERRIS.

For Representatives, 48th District.
H. A. RIDER.
I. W. BOUCK.

THE DISPATCH is indebted to Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hunt for a box of as fine crab apples as ever were grown. There were three varieties, all beautiful fruit. Mr. Hunt, probably is one of the best informed men in the county in regard to the raising of fruit in this climate and soil, and has constantly urged that all kinds of fruit of a hardy variety could be successfully grown here. When every farmer has his fruit orchard as they do in the east, the credit will in no small measure belong to Mr. Hunt.

BUCKMAN THE WINNER.

After careful investigation and a close call it was found that Hon. C. B. Buckman, of Little Falls, was a few votes ahead of Meeker county's man, A. F. Foster, at the primaries and verifying the Ledger's prediction Mr. Foster accepts the result in the interest of party harmony and will do as earnest work for Mr. Buckman's election as he did for his own nomination. It is a pleasure to see such a feeling exist between the rival candidates and we are pleased to say that generally speaking the republicans of Meeker county feel the same in the matter as Mr. Foster does. They realize that Mr. Buckman the district will have an able and earnest representative; that Minnesota has had a solid republican delegation in congress; that the state has gained in prominence in the nation's councils by this fact, and that it would be the height of foolishness to allow petty spite or pique to interfere with the continuance of that prominence and prestige. The result will be that when the votes are counted in November, Meeker county will be found to have rolled up as handsome a vote for Mr. Buckman's election as she did for Mr. Foster's nomination.

Such a feeling is surely commendable and shows that the American people are thoroughly in earnest in their advocacy of principle and that they look upon the candidates as a means of carrying out their theories of that principle and not as a personal gift. In Mr. Buckman they recognize a man thoroughly in sympathy with them in principle and though perhaps he was not their first choice, he will stand for what they deem to be the right policy of government management and entitled to their support and confidence.

Meeker county has won for herself a reputation of standing squarely for the principles of the republican party and in the coming congressional campaign she will be found as staunch in that respect as she has been in the past, and Mr. Buckman will have no occasion to find fault with his treatment at the hands of of Meeker, in spite of the fact that she came so near landing her man as the successful candidate.—Litchfield News Ledger.

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Trunks and Grips at D. M. Clark's.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

A. E. Losey returned from the Twin cities this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Doble, of Royalton, are visiting at L. A. Canfield's.

Attorney John R. Heino, of Aitkin, was in the city this morning on business.

J. J. Howe came in from the south this afternoon having been away on business.

Frank Berry, of Wadena, was a guest in the city this morning calling on the trade.

Dr. Thabes returned today from Minneapolis where he went on business a few days ago.

Freeman Thorpe, of Hubert, was in the city today en route to the Twin cities on business.

Miss Genevieve Bush left this afternoon for Minneapolis where she will visit for a short time.

General Manager Gemmell, J. Swan and J. Baker left for the north this morning on business.

R. J. Hartley expects to leave about Monday for Oregon again to look after his pine land interests.

J. F. Bartlett will return to White Earth tomorrow after visiting his family in this city for several days.

Sunday evening Miss Charlotte Hauton will sing, "I Alone the Cross Must Bear," at the First Baptist church.

Tomorrow afternoon the Ladies' Aid of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Everett, North Brainerd.

Mrs. L. A. Canfield had a successful surprise arranged for her husband last evening in the shape of a party for his birthday anniversary.

Hon H. A. Rider, Little Falls, and Hon. I. W. Bouck, of Royalton

Now Owns a Home of His Own, all Clear.

Three years ago I sold No. 1124 Rosewood St. S. E., to Otto Nelson for a small advance in cash, and balance in monthly payments. Last night he made his last payment and now owns a valuable home which he could sell for nearly double what he paid for it, besides living in it and saving rent in the meantime. I have a few desirable houses and lots in nice location at bargains, on easy terms. You will have to decide this month if you want any of them. P. B. NETTLETON, Palace Hotel.

arrived in the city this afternoon to attend the Senator Nelson meeting tonight.

E. L. Jenkins went to St. Paul today to attend the Christian Endeavor convention at the Central Congregational church.

Sneak thieves are operating in the Second Ward. Several small thefts have been reported of late and the prowlers seem to be getting rather bold.

Mrs. Caas. Ekman returned from Staples this noon where she visited for a time with her husband who has charge of the R. R. Wise lunch counter at that place.

Hon. C. B. Buckman, candidate for congress, was in the city this afternoon en route home from Park Rapids and Walker where he has been holding meetings.

Miss Eleanor Saunders left this afternoon for Minneapolis where she will visit for a short time. She has resigned her position as stenographer in the office of City Attorney Crowell.

J. H. Shaver, of St. Paul, is in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Willis. Mr. Shaver is fore man of the freight department at the N. P. Como shops, and at one time resided in the city.

Charley Kreech says that he found "a whole gunny sack full of nice big fat chickens" and if the owner is not found we are to receive an invitation to a "sumptuous banquet" at his house some Sunday in the near future.

J. N. Omen, the popular 5th street barber, has moved from his old location to his new shop under Jerome Kelleber's, on the corner of Front and 5th streets. The new place is fitted up expressly for a barber shop and is one of the handsomest in the city.

Mrs. Charles Nichols, of Winnipeg Junction, came down yesterday with her little son for treatment at the N. P. Sanitarium. The young lad fell and broke his arm. He is a son of the yard master at that place who was injured in the wreck recently and who is still detained at the sanitarium.

We are agents for the W. L. Douglas shoe and carry a big line. They are union made.

LINNEMAN & CARLSON.

FATHER ROBERT WAS GAME.

While Holding a Mission at East Grand Forks the Priest's House was Burglarized.

Rev. Father Robert, who with two other priests held a mission at St. Francis Catholic church in this city a short time ago, assumed a very dramatic role last Sunday night at East Grand Forks, where he has been holding a mission throughout the week. He was, of course, stopping with Father Green, the resident pastor of the East Grand Forks church. In the middle of the night Sunday night they were aroused by some noises about the place and Father Green arose from bed only to fall into the hands of a genuine burglar. They came together and had a great tussle on the floor. Father Robert was awakened and he rushed to the assistance of Father Green. Using his presence of mind he pulled his glasses from his eyes and held them in the face of the burglar and as it was dark made the burglar believe that it was a revolver he had. Mr. burglar was thus held at bay until Father Green could summon a policeman and the man was taken to the lockup.

That night at the church a large collection had been taken and there was something like \$300 or \$400 in the house.

Notice.

The ladies of the Congregational church have decided to change the date of their fair to Nov. 20th and 21st instead of Oct. 22nd and 23rd, as previously advertised.

Mrs. A. E. MOBERG, Secretary.

FOUND—A whole gunny sack full of nice big fat chickens. Who lost 'em? C. A. KREECH.

OBITUARY.

"Then fell upon the house a sudden gloom,
A shadow on those features fair and thin,
And softly from that hushed and darkened room
Two angels issued where but one went in.
All is of God! If he but wave his hand,
The mist collect, the rain falls thick and loud,
Till with a smile of light on sea and land,
Lo! he looks back from the departing cloud.
Angels of life and death alike are his;
Without his leave, they pass no threshold o'er,
Who then would wish or dare, believing this,
Against His messengers to shut the door."

Such a messenger entered the happy home of Thomas N. Roy, son of the late Hon. Peter Roy, and took from it the master on Oct. 6, 1901. Mr. Roy was born at Little Falls, Minn., June 8, 1870. Eleven years ago he came with his people to the White Earth reservation where he has since lived. On Aug. 27th 1895 he was united in marriage to Miss Jennie McIntosh, of Beaulieu, Minn., the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McIntosh, who survives him. The union was blessed with four children, Bertha, Clara, Peter and Luella, all of whom survive him. Deceased leaves an aged mother, seven sisters and two brothers, besides a host of friends.

His illness was of long duration but he bore it with exemplary patience and through it all has been a devoted husband and father. To the last his thought and care was for the dear ones he was leaving mindful more of their sorrow than his own much as the separation from his family grieved him. The funeral was held Wednesday at 10 a. m. at the St. Joseph church, Father Aloyeius, of White Earth officiating.

Those from out of town attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. St. Pierre and daughter Clara, of Detroit, Mrs. Wm. Holden and children of Brainerd, Mr. John Roy, of Little Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Fairbanks and Mrs. N. Ross, of White Earth, Minn. Deceased was a brother of Mr. Wm. Holden, of this city.

D. M. Clark & Co., carry the largest line of trunks, grips and telescopes in the city.

Notice.

The supper which was to have been given by the W. R. C. Friday evening, has been postponed indefinitely, by order of the president.

ANNIE F. WILSON, Secretary.

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Similar Organizations Found to be a Great Help to the Various Lodges.

The preliminary steps were taken yesterday at a meeting in Elks hall, St. Paul, for the organization of a tri-state association of Elks, including Minnesota, North Dakota and South Dakota.

At a meeting of the representatives of the Minnesota and North Dakota lodges of Elks held while at the recent grand lodge meeting at Salt Lake City, Utah, the matter of forming a tri-state association of Elks was discussed, and a committee was appointed to invite the lodges of Minnesota and North and South Dakota to join in effecting such an organization. Each lodge was invited to send one representative for each 100 or fractional part thereof of lodge membership. The meeting resultant upon this invitation took place yesterday afternoon at Elks' hall, and forty-nine delegates were present. Minneapolis sent nine, Sioux Falls eight, St. Cloud and Austin three, Fargo four, Crookston, Duluth Brainerd and Stillwater two, St. Paul six and Winona, Little Falls and Grand Fork one each.

Quite a number of states, including Wisconsin, have within the past two years formed such organizations and they have been found a great help in bringing the lodges closely related geographically more often in communication for the discussion of questions and matters of importance generally pertaining to the good of the order.

The motion was unanimously adopted that such an organization be formed and a committee was elected to formulate the plans and purposes of the same and to draft such by-laws as considered necessary. The committee was: C. Bates, Sioux Falls; Theo. L. Hays, Minneapolis; Ike Lederer, St. Paul; C. J. Fisk, Fargo, N. D.; J. Foley, Stillwater; C. F. McDonald, St. Cloud, and L. D. Bald, Austin. The committee presented a constitution based on that of the Wisconsin association which was adopted, and a copy of this and the by-laws will be submitted to each lodge for approval.

J. T. Schusler, of St. Paul, was elected president of the association, C. P. Bates of Sioux Falls, vice president; Frank Jungen of Minneapolis, secretary, and P. J. Mosier of Stillwater, treasurer.

Just received the genuine Knox hat for fall wear, price \$4.50. LINNEMAN & CARLSON.

EYES examined free by E. S. Houghton, registered local optician.

ESDON ETCHINGS.

Mr. I. H. Flint is building a new barn.

Myrtle Hammett is home from Bay Lake.

The first snow of the season Oct. 12, 1902.

Kate Gooler was home on a visit last week.

Bennie Johnson was on the sick list last week.

William Waldrop and wife have moved to Brainerd.

Miss Ena Chord made a visit home over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. John Walker made a short trip to Minneapolis recently.

John Waldrop is finishing up his house he began some time ago.

M. L. Hammett had the misfortune to sprain his wrist last Monday.

Paul Gooler has made himself a bean thresher that is doing good work.

School has begun at the white school house with Judd Dyes as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Shew spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Ed Roderick, of Maple Grove.

There was to be a dance at Will Petroe's house, Saturday evening. Have not heard how it turned out.

Mr. Waldrop's new bean thresher is doing quite good work since he attached Mr. Flint's small horse power to it.

DAME RUMOR.

CLOAKS AND CAPES

AT THE

CASH DEPARTMENT STORE.

The best way to learn something about our new line of Cloaks, is to drop in and see them.



WE have the best..... **\$10.00** Cloak on earth, and it is in line with all the latest styles of Cloaks for the fall and winter wear. Don't you feel as though you could trust a store that's been doing business in Brainerd since 1881.

WE ARE IT.

There is not a poorly made garment in our Cloak Stock, they are not only stylish and well made, but there's an art and something about them that sets off a woman's figure to perfection, and the prices are always just right too.

Our fall and winter Stock of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes have very nearly all arrived, and we invite your inspection of same.

The Way to Get Rich

is to first save money; wearing apparel you must have, if you buy it here, our prices are so low you can

Get Started.

Money cheerfully refunded if goods are not as represented.

L. J. CALE,

Goods Delivered Promptly. 'Phone Call 75.

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We have not got a department store, but we have got as complete a stock of

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Sash, Doors, Paint, Oils and Varnishes, Nails, Paper, Wire, Stoves and Ranges, and everything that goes to make up a first-class Hardware Store as can be found north of St. Paul.

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We have constantly on hand a complete stock of Lumber, Lath Shingles and Building Material. Short Lumber of all grades, and Low Grade of Dimension and boards at very low prices for Cash

WHAT THE STATE REALIZED IN CASH

From the Sale of State Lands in
This City Recently by
Auditor Dunn.

\$764.28 INTEREST IN ADVANCE.

The Total Number of Acres Sold
Has not Been Ascertained
But is About 6,000.

County Auditor Mahlum has been
busy the last day or two figuring up
the principal and interest on the re-
cent state land sale held in this city.
The sale netted the state the neat
little sum of \$6594.14 in cash. This
does not include the principal or the
amount which the land was sold for
on time. This simply covers the
number of acres that were sold for
cash and the interest on the other.
The principal on the cash sales
amounts to \$5829.86 and the interest
amounts to \$764.24. This interest
is paid in advance up to June of next
year.

BEMIS AND SULLIVAN SIGNED.

Both will Start in Next Season with the
Minneapolis Base Ball Team on
a Trial.

It will be interesting news to
many in this city to know that Denis
Sullivan and Chas. Bemis, who play-
with the Brainerd base ball team
this summer, will be given a try out
next spring with the Minneapolis base
ball team. Sullivan was with the
team the latter part of the season
and made good. His batting aver-
age was not too good but he made
rapid improvement and his fielding
was phenomenal. Chas. Bemis with
a good team behind him ought to do
good work in the box and it is seldom
ever that a pitcher is as good a man
with the willow as he.

Nettleton sells houses and lots,
small payment down, balance
monthly. 79-1f.

Leave your order with D. M. Clark
& Co. for storm sash.

INQUIRE FOR RELATIVES.

Charles E. Allen Died at Choteau, Mont.,
and a Doctor Inquires of W. H.
Erb, of this City.

A communication has been receiv-
ed by William Erb from Dr. T. T.
Brooks, Choteau, Mont., inquiring
for the relatives of a young man by
the name of Charles E. Allen, who
died in the city on October 11.

Mr. Erb says he recollects giving
this young man a recommendation
for work in this city but beyond this
does not remember anything about
the young man.

Our line of boys suits, reefers and
overcoats is complete. Call and see
them.

LINNEMAN & CARLSON.

ON THE GRIDIRON.

On Saturday afternoon there will
be a game of foot ball at Athletic
park between the Y. M. C. A. and
the high school teams of the city.
The Y. M. C. A. eleven has been
coached by Attorney A. T. Larson,
who in his day was considered one
of the best all round players in the
country. They have some great
material and for weight outclass the
high school team, but they may not
find it such easy sledding when it
comes to playing the game. The
game will be called at 3:30 o'clock
and it is expected that there will be
a good attendance.

The high school team are expecting
a game with the Long Prairie high
school eleven in the near future.
The Long Prairie team is a good one.

The full shirt patterns are certain-
ly pleasing to the eye. We have
your shirt now.

LINNEMAN & CARLSON.

EYES examined free by Prof.
Bruns state registered
optician, at the Arlington hotel Oct.
20, 21 and 22.

FOR SALE—Good milch cow. Ap-
ply at Wilber Hotel.

These frosty mornings make one
think about our overcoats. We can
show you overcoats from \$8.00 up.
We have the latest styles as high as
\$25.00. They are swell.

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SENATOR NELSON IN BRAINERD

Arrived in the City this Afternoon
from Duluth Where He Spoke
Last Night.

A ROUSING MEETING TONIGHT.

The Senior Senator will Speak of
the Issues in the Present
Campaign.

Hon. Knute Nelson, senior U. S.
senator from the state, is a dis-
tinguished guest in the city this
afternoon. The senator arrived in
the city from Duluth on No. 11 and
is domiciled at the Arlington hotel.
He spoke last night at Duluth to a
large and representative body and
will be heard at the Brainerd Opera
House in this city tonight.

Mr. Nelson is one of the ablest
speakers in the United States senate
today and his address this evening
on the issues in the campaign is sure
to be good. He will start speaking
at 8:30 o'clock.

The Sisters of St. Benedict are
prepared to give instructions in music
in the building now used as a hospi-
tal. 97-1m

STITT CLAIMS HE WAS SWINDLED

A Former Brainerd Citizen is the Victim
of a Confidence Game Played by
Itasca County's Auditor.

The Duluth Herald, of Tuesday
contains the following:

"Itasca county is the home of sen-
sations so far as its official life is con-
cerned, and has developed another.
A number of business men and citi-
zens have united in a petition to
Governor Van Sant in which charg-
es are made against Auditor Farrell,
and his removal is asked.

"The petition has been forwarded
to the governor, but had not reached
him by this morning. The document
is as follows:

"We cite the following cases for
your information and investigation:
"During the delinquent tax sale of
May, 1900, Robert Stitt, a logger re-
siding at Duluth, Minn., purchased
certain lands in township 62, range
24, in Itasca county, May 19, or be-
fore the sale was concluded, Mr.
Stitt was taken sick, and obliged to
return to his home.

"Before departure, however, he
left in the possession of Auditor Far-
rell the sum of \$405 for the purpose
of paying for the lands referred to,
and also for the purchase of still
other lands in the same township
and range, a list of which additional
lands Stitt also furnished Farrell.

"Some time before May 29 Auditor
Farrell held a mock or private sale
at which he sold various descriptions
in the above township and range, at
less price than bid by Mr. Stitt to
one Neal Hickey, a confederate, and
used the sum left in his (Farrell's)
hands to effect the transfer.

"Afterwards Farrell confessed his
action to Stitt, and informed him
that for an additional sum of \$500 he
would secure a deed from Neal Hic-
key, and forward the papers to Mr.
Stitt at Duluth.

"Mr. Stitt was forced to accept
the arrangement, or lose the land, as
he believed, and so the papers were
accordingly forwarded, C. O. D. to
M. H. McMahon, an attorney in Du-
luth.

The papers were forwarded on May
29, 1900, by the Great Northern Ex-
press company from Grand Rapids,
Minn., and the original envelope is
now in possession of Mr. Stitt, to-
gether with memoranda of the entire
transaction, and also telegrams,
plats, and other matters which will
be of the greatest assistance to the
state.

"Mr. McMahon was Mr. Stitt's
legal adviser, and is in a position to
corroborate the latter on important
points."

O. E. S. Convention.

The district convention of the order
of the Eastern Star, will be held in
the Masonic Hall on Monday Oct.
20th. Delegates from Perham, De-
troit and Staples will be present.
In the afternoon a reception for the
delegates and visitors will be held,
and an elegant banquet will be serv-
ed at 6 p. m. At 8:00 p. m. the work
will be exemplified by Alpha Chapter
No. 23, O. E. S., of Brainerd. All
visiting members of the Order in the
city are cordially invited to be pre-
sent.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

October 17—A Broken Heart.
October 20—Shore Acres.

"A BROKEN HEART."

"A Broken Heart," that beautiful
drama will be presented at Park
Opera House next Friday evening
Oct. 17th.

"A Broken Heart" is regarded as
one of the best melodrama successes
of the present day, achieving even
greater popularity now than it did
when first produced, two seasons ago
in the east. It has all the elements
to arouse interest; its pathos and
humor, tears and laughter, and the
management have given careful at-
tention to scenery and details so es-
sential to a pleasing and realistic
production.

Miss Rujaera, the well known star
of other successes and the author of
the play, comes with the production
here assuming the leading role, sup-
ported by an excellent cast.

"SHORE ACRES."

There are certain plays that possess
a freshness and charm which prevent
them from wearing out or becoming
tiresome with age. To this class of
productions belongs "Shore Acres,"
the beautiful picture of American
home life, that has won the hearts of
millions of theatre-goers during the
past ten years.

The characters in "Shore Acres"
are true to life, and not grotesque
freaks with bedraggled whiskers,
introduced merely to divert befuddled
brains. Arrangements have been
made for an adequate production of
this famous play at the Brainerd
opera house next Monday Oct. 20.

BRIEFLY TOLD.

Not Necessary to Leave Brainerd for
Proof—You Have It
Here.

Endorsement by residents of
Brainerd.

Positive proof from Brainerd peo-
ple.

Briefly told for the public good.

Such is the following testimony.
Mr. R. D. Ransom, of Third Ave.,
East Brainerd, fireman at the Brainerd
Lumber Co., says: "For as long
as twelve or fourteen years I was a
sufferer from kidney ailments. My
back hurt me awfully; I could stoop,
but when I attempted to rise, severe
pain caught me in the loins. Often
in bed I could not change my posi-
tion and when morning came I had
to be helped out of bed. The kidney
secretions were of a very unhealthy
color and were otherwise irregular.
I commenced using Doan's Kidney
Pills and one box did me so much
good that I took another. The treat-
ment cured me."

Sold for 50 cents a box, at the Mc-
Fadden Drug Co., H. P. Dunn & Co.
and all druggists. Foster-Milburn
Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for
the U. S.

Remember the name, Doan's, and
take no substitute.

GIRL WANTED—For kitchen work
at the Wilber Hotel.

NEW DRY... GOODS

TEN CASES of new Dry Goods just arrived comprising novel-
ties in Dress Goods, new Trimmings, new Waistings, new Golf
Gloves, new Mittens, new Hosiery, new Handkerchiefs, new
Skirtings, new Cloaks, new Jackets, new Silks, new Velvets, new
Ribbons and new Laces.

WE show a complete stock of Underwear, Men's, Women's and
Children

WE have the finest stock of Ladies' Misses and Children's
Cloaks in this city, and a very commodious show room to dis-
play these goods. No trouble to show our goods

QUEEN QUALITY SHOES, sole agency in this city

BUTTERICK Pattern agency

FULL line of up-to-date Corsets

OUR Blanket stock contains values from \$10 a pair down to 50c

SPECIAL values in comforters

TWO HUNDRED new pieces of Prints for Dresses, Aprons
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Don't fail to look at our stock of Flannels.

WE carry the Baltimore fleeced Wrapper at \$1.00 each, none
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No Better Goods Anywhere,
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E. S. Houghton, registered local
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for a pair of glasses. You do not
have to pay railroad fare nor hotel
bills, or traveling expenses of any
kind. Examination of the eyes made
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be satisfied. tf

Store your household good with
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Opticians Must Be Registered.

In regard to registered opticians
every man who does optical work
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nesota. E. S. Houghton, the local
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button. Call on S. R. Adair, Circle
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ment House in city. Goods sold on
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of the Groceries they are getting
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Our line of
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I wish to call your attention to our

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\$500 Made on a \$10 Investment.

This may seem preposterous, but it's a fact—one that is vouched for by the most prominent men in the West. In 1898-99 the first Alaskan railroad was built to handle traffic into and out of the Klondike. That district is limited in population. It never had more than 30,000, yet that road earned dividends of 60 per cent on its capital stock in 1901, and it is now being quoted at \$500 per share and no sellers. It started at less than \$10 in 1898.

ALASKA'S SECOND RAILWAY

Is now being built. It is an All-American railroad from Resurrection Bay to Rampart, opening up the richest part of Interior Alaska. Behind this road are the most prominent men in the West. The route of the Alaska Central Railway up the wide valley of the Susitna across a low divide to the Tanana basin and over the Manok hills to Rampart is simple and inexpensive in comparison with the extreme difficulties encountered by the first road. But instead of having 30,000 population to supply, the Alaska Central will not have a soul less than 150,000 tributary to its main line.

This preferred stock started at \$5, and in 30 days advanced to \$6, then to \$8 and then to \$10 per share. By spring it will be worth \$50, and in a few years \$500.

Do you know what preferred stock of companies organized under the Washington state law means? According to the state laws of Washington, under which the Alaska Central Railway is incorporated, 5 per cent preferred railroad stock means that it is first guaranteed dividend of 5 per cent from the first earnings; before any other dividend is paid. It then shares equally with the common stock.

My advice is: Buy some of this stock now at \$10 per share. Put it away in your safe and forget about it. In a few years it will make you wealthy. If you like, you can pay for same in four equal monthly installments at \$10.50 per share.

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(I will buy this stock back from you at any time at what you paid for it.)

SEND FOR PROSPECTUS AND GOVERNMENT REPORT.

First Trains From Europe to China.

The Eastern Chinese railway will soon issue a detailed time table for a regular through service to China which will save from ten to thirteen days from London or Hamburg to China as compared with the ocean route, says the New York Tribune. A conference of delegates of the Russian government and the International Sleeping Car company and of the managers of European railways affected is to be held in Paris in a few days under the auspices of the Russian ministry of railways. The new line is an extension of the Transsiberian railway and when completed should give a service from the principal European cities to Port Arthur in sixteen or seventeen days.

MINNESOTA & INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY CO.

TIME CARD.
EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1, 1902.

Trains arrive at and depart from the Northern Pacific Depot.

GOING NORTH	GOING SOUTH
2:00 P. M. Brainerd	11:55 A. M.
2:08 " Kindred St.	11:53 "
2:20 " M. & L. Shops	11:42 "
2:25 " Leake	11:35 "
2:35 " Merrifield	11:25 "
2:45 " Hubert	11:15 "
2:50 " Smiley	11:08 "
3:02 " Peguot	10:55 "
3:09 " Jenkins	10:48 "
3:21 " Pine River	10:36 "
3:30 " Mildred	10:27 "
3:42 " Backe	10:15 "
3:49 " Island Lake	10:09 "
4:00 " Hackensack	9:57 "
4:18 " Hunters	9:48 "
4:35 " Walker	9:28 "
4:42 " Smiths	9:18 "
4:52 " Kabekona	9:08 "
5:02 " Lakeport	8:57 "
5:15 " Guthrie	8:45 "
5:26 " Nary	8:36 "
5:42 " South Bemidji	8:14 "

A. M.	P. M.
6:05 " Bemidji	8:10 "
6:20 " Mississippi	7:43 "
6:31 " Turtle	7:32 "
6:38 " Farley	7:25 "
6:40 " Tenstrike	7:17 "
7:05 " Blackduck	7:00 "

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EAST BOUND:	Arrive.	Depart.
No. 18, Duluth Express	12:45 p. m.	1:05 p. m.
No. 14, Duluth Express	3:35 p. m.	4:05 p. m.
No. 10, Duluth Express	1:00 p. m.	1:10 p. m.
No. 54, Duluth Freight	9:10 a. m.	9:50 a. m.
No. 58, Atlin Freight	8:55 p. m.	9:35 p. m.

WEST BOUND:	Arrive.	Depart.
No. 5, Fargo Express	1:05 p. m.	1:25 p. m.
No. 15, Pacific Express	12:55 p. m.	1:05 a. m.
No. 11, Pacific Express	12:35 p. m.	12:45 p. m.
No. 57, Staples Freight	4:20 p. m.	5:10 p. m.

Get Permit at Ticket Office for 54, 57 and 58. Trains 13, 14, 11 and 12, daily.

L. F. & D. BRANCH	Arrive.	Depart.
No. 10, Little Falls, N. Dak. Center & Morris	7:20 a. m.	
No. 11, Morris, N. Dak. Center & Brainerd	5:20 p. m.	
Daily Except Sunday.		

RESULT IS DOUBTFUL.

UNCERTAIN WHAT ACTION MINE WORKERS' BOARD WILL TAKE ON SETTLEMENT.

MEETING AT WILKESBARRE

In That City Will Be Decided Whether Work Will Be Resumed at Once or Whether a Convention of Miners Must Be Called to Settle the Matter.

Nature of Mitchell's Proposition Remains a Secret.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 16.—The executive board members of the three anthracite districts of United Mine Workers of America will hold a joint meeting here to consider a proposition for ending the strike, which President Mitchell will lay before them with a view of calling a delegates' convention of the striking mine workers to pass upon it. The call was sent out in the afternoon as a result of a telephone message sent by Mr. Mitchell after his conference with President Roosevelt at Washington. It is difficult to say what the outcome will be, but one thing seems to be sure, and that is that considerable progress is being made toward an end of the struggle.

No one here knows the exact nature of the proposition Mitchell brings back with him from the national capital and it is probable no one will know it excepting the three district presidents and National Secretary-Treasurer Wilson until the strike leader lays it before the three boards. In his public statement Tuesday night the strike leader said nothing would be done until he was in possession of the full meaning of the operators' proposed arbitration plan and it is likely he received the president's interpretation during the day. It is understood that at least a majority of the board members are opposed to the plan, but if the president gave Mr. Mitchell an interpretation of the proposal, there is a likelihood that a convention will be called to consider it. A great majority of the rank and file are still opposed, like most of the board members, to accepting the operators' proposition as they now understand it.

The joint conference will be made up of thirty-seven persons. Those present will be Mr. Mitchell, National Secretary-Treasurer W. B. Wilson, the three anthracite members of the national executive board, the president, vice president, secretary and treasurer of each district, the seven board members from each of the upper and lower districts, and the six board members of the middle district.

The general strike situation is unchanged, few additional men being recruited by the coal companies. The soldiers passed a quiet day.

EARLIER NEGOTIATIONS.

What Mr. Mitchell and President Roosevelt Did.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The prolonged anthracite coal strike is not yet

practically settled, but some progress was made during the day and, while there remain certain obstacles to be removed, these, in the language of Secretary Root, it is believed can be resolved and a termination of the strike finally secured. The principal of these obstacles is the composition of the proposed commission or board to arbitrate the differences between the miners' and operators. Mr. Mitchell indicated formally to President Roosevelt that the mine workers' union dissents from the restrictions placed by the operators on the choice of the proposed arbitration tribunal and desires the president to have

An absolutely Free Hand

in the selection of the members of the commission to be charged with an adjustment of the future relations between the employers and employees. He laid special stress in stating his objections on the proposition that one of the commission should be a judge from the Eastern district of Pennsylvania. He was very insistent in some of his objections, which he voiced in what might be termed a counter proposition to that of the operators. After the president and the head of the miners' union had exchanged views freely and gone over this counter proposition of Mr. Mitchell's, a call was sent out by President Mitchell for a joint meeting of the executive boards of the mine workers' union for the three anthracite districts of Pennsylvania. At this meeting it is believed an

Agreement Will Be Reached

on a statement to be officially promulgated by the miners' union in response to the proposition from the operators. President Roosevelt having ascertained the views of Mr. Mitchell, at once communicated with the operators and initiated efforts to reconcile the differences developed and to have the operators make some further concessions, his aim being to reach a common accord between miners and operators whereby the labor dispute may be finally composed and mining of coal resumed.

Mr. Mitchell's visit to Washington was by invitation of President Roosevelt, who asked the miners' president to come to Washington in order that they might discuss the terms of the proposition submitted to the president last Monday night by the anthracite coal railroad presidents in the hope that the miners and operators, as a result of the conference, might be brought into agreement as to the appointment by President Roosevelt of a commission to arbitrate existing differences between them.

Some Obstacles Remain.

While all persons having knowledge of the details of the conference are extremely reticent, enough is known to justify the statement that while

they did not accomplish a settlement of the strike, they at the same time were not barren of tangible results. Some obstacles to a settlement remain. The discussion of the situation was entirely amicable. Mr. Mitchell was in a conciliatory mood and the president was very zealous in his efforts to promote a settlement of the prolonged strike.

At the first conference, which lasted from 11:50 a. m. until 12:35 p. m., the president and Mr. Mitchell discussed fully the proposition made by the operators for an arbitration commission. In a general way the miners' president indicated certain objections which he had to the proposition of the operators, but it is understood did not at that time present his objections in a formal statement.

Talked With Sargent.

At the conclusion of the first conference, Mr. Mitchell walked over to the treasury department, where for two hours he was closeted with Frank P. Sargent, commissioner of immigration. During that time Mr. Mitchell communicated by long-distance telephone with persons in New York and in Wilkesbarre. It is understood that at that time he called a meeting of the district mine presidents to be held in Wilkesbarre. He discussed fully the strike situation with Mr. Sargent, with whom he has had a long time friendship. Mr. Sargent until recently having been president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. Commissioner Sargent has been an important factor in the efforts made by President Roosevelt to effect a settlement of the controversy between the miners and operators, and, therefore, was in a position to talk freely with Mr. Mitchell. Their conference was as earnest as it was long. It is believed that its conclusion Mr. Mitchell

Had Formulated a Statement

akin to counter proposition to that made by the operators. This he later presented to the president, going directly from Mr. Sargent's office to the White House at 3 o'clock for the purpose.

While no authorized statement of the counter proposition could be obtained, it can be stated on excellent authority that Mr. Mitchell, in criticism of the proposition of the operators, took exception to the disparagement of the miners' union and to the limitation of the time in which, under the proposed agreement, there is to be no strike.

His particular objection, however, was to the insistence of the mine owners that they should be permitted to designate the classes from which the arbitrators should be drawn by the president. It is understood that he took a firm stand against this proposition, saying he was satisfied the

Miners Would Not Submit

to any arbitration which would not be arbitration in fact as well as in name. He urged that this would not be the case if one side to the controversy were afforded the advantage of naming classes from which the arbitrators were to be appointed. He expressed himself as being as anxious as ever for arbitration, but plants himself squarely on the proposition that the president should be allowed to name the arbitrators without any restrictions or limitations made either by the miners or by the mine owners.

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It is understood also that the wording of the mine operators' proposition omitting any reference to the miners' union, does not meet with Mr. Mitchell's approval. He desires, if possible, to obtain some formal recognition of the union, although that is a

Technicality Which He May Waive subsequently as by any agreement to arbitrate the controversy the miners will get a general recognition of their organization. Mr. Mitchell also expressly opposed the restriction made in the operators' proposition limiting the selection of a federal judge as one of the arbitrators to a particular jurisdiction.

It is stated on excellent authority, although not by the president or Mr. Mitchell, that President Roosevelt agreed to present Mitchell's contention to the operators. It is believed that this will be the next step taken.

Mr. Mitchell assured the president of his anxiety to end the strike, but said that the miners were firm in their position and that he could not afford to sanction any proposition that would sacrifice their interests at this time. He was willing, however, to dispense with minor details and indicated his intention to demand only an arbitration board which should be selected fairly to the interests of both parties to the controversy.

Differences Will Be Resolved.

While the feeling among those who are familiar with the position taken by Mr. Mitchell is not rich in optimism it is generally believed that the differences existing between the miners and operators will be resolved finally. It is said that while it may take a few days to bring them together, the belief is universal that the negotiations now pending will terminate the strike. It is pointed out by one who is a recognized authority on strike controversies, that in the event of an agreement on a commission or arbitration it will not be absolutely necessary for President Mitchell at this time to formally declare off the strike. He and his district presidents may order the men back to work, holding in abeyance the formal declaration of the end of the strike until the commission shall have made its findings, which, it is expected will be binding upon both operators and miners.

Least of His Troubles.

Shortly after Mr. Mitchell left the White House, Secretary Root arrived and soon afterward the president and the secretary left on an extended drive. As the president passed through the hall of the White House to the carriage he used one crutch to assist him in walking. To a group of newspaper men he remarked cheerily that he hoped in a day or two to be able to discard the crutch. Referring to his injured leg he said that now was the least of his troubles.

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Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 16.—A fast westbound passenger train on the Vandalia railroad and the Terre Haute and Indianapolis accommodation train collided at Reelsville, eight miles west of here in the afternoon, killing two and seriously if not fatally injuring three others. Three men were also slightly injured.

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